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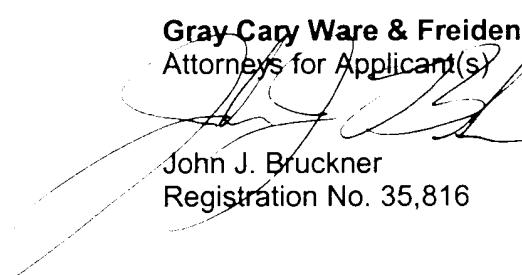
Favorable consideration of this application is requested. Claims 1-27 are pending in the application.

All of the claims are considered patentable and allowance of all the claims is respectfully requested. In the event that there are any remaining issues, the attending to of which would expedite the allowance of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned for prompt action at the direct line telephone number appearing below

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APPENDIX 1

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